

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents, Box PCT United States Patent and Tradamark Office Washington, D.C. 2023

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATT	r. DOCKET NO.	
09/980,952	80,952 Ryuji Ishiguro		SONYJP-161	
		INTERNATIONAL AP	PLICATION NO.	
	_	PCT/JP01/02929		
Robert B. Cohen		I.A. FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE		
Lerner David Littenherg	_	04/04/2001	04/06/2000	

Robert B. Cohen Lerner David Littenberg Krumholz & Mentlik 600 South Avenue West Westfield, NJ 07090

CONFIRMATION NO. 1747
371 FORMALITIES LETTER
OC000000007358485

Date Mailed: 01/29/2002

NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Priority Document
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Request for Immediate Examination

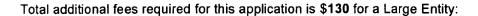
The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than the appropriate 30 months months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:



• \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

MAMIE P PERSON

Telephone: (703) 305-3737

PART 2 - OFFICE COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
 09/980,952	РСТ/ЈР01/02929	SONYJP-161